

SUBJECT No. 341.

Quarters to taluk officials at Yedatore.

Mr. Badami Achiah Setti, Yedatore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Quarters may be constructed in the extension of the Yedatore town for the accommodation of the taluk officials, and a reasonable rent levied from them.

Reply of Government.—Noted for favorable consideration.

SUBJECT No. 342.

Transfer of some villages from the Krishnarajpete to the Yedatore Taluk.

Messrs. Krishnasastri and Somasetti, Krishnarajpete Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—For the convenience of ryots, the villages on the other side of the Hemavati river may be added on either to the Yedatore or Hole-Narsipur Taluk, adding the Melkote *hobli* to the Krishnarajpete Taluk. At present transactions relating to the Melkote *hobli* are conducted in the Krishnarajpete Taluk. Akki-hebbal *hobli* will be cut off during the rainy season owing to floods in the river.

Reply of Government.—Will be enquired into.

SUBJECT No. 343.

A sub-taluk for Periyapatam.

Mr. C. Subba Rao, Hunsur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—A sub-taluk may be established at Periyapatam.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 344.

A sub-taluk for Maddur.

Mr. Parameswariah, Mandya Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—As Maddur is growing in importance on account of the Canvery Power Works at Sivasamudram a sub-taluk may be established there.

Reply of Government.—Unnecessary at present.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

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SUBJECT No. 345.

Civil jurisdiction over the Belur Taluk.

Mr. Kesavadasa Iyengar, Belur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The civil jurisdiction over the Belur Taluk (which is now attached to the Hassan Munsiff's court) may be transferred to the Munsiff's court at Chikmagalur, which is only 13 miles distant from Belur. Parties will thereby be saved the expenses of travelling and cases will be disposed of early.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 346.

Grant of timber from Kolal Bore forest for agricultural implements.

Mr. A. Venkatachar, Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Permission may be granted to take timber free of cost for agricultural purposes from the Kolal Bore forest in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Reply of Government.—This forest is closed to all fellings in consequence of the poor condition of the timber growth.

SUBJECT No. 347.

Water-supply to the Arsikere Town.

Mr. Dasappa, Arsikere Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Government have directed the sinking of two wells, from one of which water is brought by pipes as far as the *sante* reservoir. Half the cost of these works was ordered to be borne by the Municipality, the other half being defrayed by the Local Funds. Arsikere now contains 3,000 inhabitants and is

growing in importance. The supply of water by pipes may be extended to the whole town. The expenditure for laying pipes, etc., may be borne solely by Government, and the Municipality will in future defray the maintenance charges by the levy of a water rate.

Reply of Government.—Estimates will be called for.

SUBJECT No. 348.

A regular Municipal constitution for Arsikere.

Messrs. Dasappa and Chowdaiya, Arsikere Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—As the town of Arsikere has a population of 3,000 it may be constituted into a regular Municipality.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 349.

A dispensary for Chikanahalli, Belur Taluk.

Mr. Kesavadasa Iyengar, Belur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—There is at present a dispensary at Belur and another at Arehalli which is 12 miles distant from Belur. Another dispensary may be opened at Chikanahalli, which is 10 miles distant from both Belur and Arehalli, as it will be of great convenience to the people of the locality and also to the adjoining coffee estates.

Reply of Government.—Noted. May be represented to the District Board.

SUBJECT No. 350.

A building for the Anglo-Vernacular school at Saklespur.

Mr. Malali Venkataramaiya, Manjarabad Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Anglo-Vernacular school at Saklespur is held in a rented building, the school-house having fallen down many years ago. The place where the school is now located is in the busy petta and has no compound round it. As it is not spacious enough to accommodate the number of boys in the school, which is on the increase, a new building may be constructed in a convenient locality.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Inspector-General of Education.

SUBJECT No. 351.

The national girls' school at Belur.

Mr. Kesavadasa Iyengar, Belur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—A national girls' school under the designation of "Sree Lakshmivilas Balika Patasala" is being conducted at Belur for the past year and a half. The Inspector-General of Education was pleased to state that he would recommend it to Government for a grant-in-aid if the school was conducted for a year. The Inspector of Schools and other officers who inspected it have recorded their good opinion of the school in the visitors' book. Sanskrit with lessons on *Arya Dharma* is mainly taught in the school. As the townsmen find it hard to manage the institution, the school may be taken over under Government management or a grant-in-aid at least sanctioned to it.

Reply of Government.—Noted.